

Partnerships with other Nursing Programs

Central Texas College

Texas Team-Central Texas Region

Regionalization provides opportunities for a unified approach to address the nursing shortage and overcome capacity issues. A systemic regional process can be utilized to identify innovative assets and develop strategies to ensure these assets are sufficiently linked and leveraged.

Approximate cost of implementing and maintaining partnership: Unknown at this time

Grant monies used: Unknown at this time

Expected benefits from partnership:

- Increased enrollments and the possibility of future grant funding.

Challenges from partnership: None listed

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Clinical and Community Partnerships

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The ongoing preceptor program with three local hospitals has improved recruitment and facilitated orientation of new graduates hired. A shared faculty initiative provides educationally qualified nurses from local hospitals to serve as clinical instructors.

Approximate cost of implementing and maintaining partnership: none listed

Grant monies used: none listed

Expected benefits from partnership:

- improve job placement of graduates

Challenges from partnership:

- increase in qualified clinical faculty

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